IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

MARY THERESA CAHILL	,)	
)	
	Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	No. 08 C 255
)	
SMITH & NEPHEW, INC.,)	District Judge Darrah
)	
	Defendants.)	Magistrate Brown

AGREED MOTION FOR ENTRY OF PROTECTIVE ORDER

Smith & Nephew, Inc. moves this Honorable Court for entry of the agreed protective order. In support, the Smith & Nephew, Inc. states as follows:

- 1. This matter involves product liability claims regarding an orthopedic implant.
- 2. Rush North Shore Hospital claims to be the owner of the implant which the plaintiff claims is unreasonably dangerous.
- 3. Plaintiff has alleged that Smith & Nephew, Inc was the manufacturer of the subject implant.
- 4. Rush North Shore Hospital tendered the subject implant to the plaintiff for inspection pursuant to a non-destruction protective order which had been entered by the state court prior to removal.
- 5. All parties have agreed that plaintiff's consultants may ship the subject implant directly to Smith & Nephew, Inc. for their inspection provided that no destructive testing takes place.
- 6. All interested parties have agreed to the protective order.

WHEREFORE, the parties request entry of the agreed protective order.

Respectfully submitted,

Smith & Nephew, Inc.

By: <u>/s/ Anthony J. Monaco</u> One of its Attorneys

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